

Installation of Street Lights in the Mayur Vihar

1586. SHRI V. SREENIVASA PRASAD: Will the Minister of POWER AND NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) the progress made by the Delhi Electricity Supply Undertaking in the Installation of Street lights in the cluster of Group Housing Societies located in Mayur Vihar, Extension Phase-I, (Noida Road) Delhi; and

(b) the time by which the work is likely to be completed?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER AND NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES (SHRI KALP NATH RAI): (a) and (b). According to DESU, about 40% of the work of providing street lighting on the peripheral roads in the said area is already complete, and the balance work is scheduled for completion by the end of March, 1992. The schemes for electrification/street lighting for individual Group Housing Colonies are also taken up by DESU from time to time, as and when these are sponsored and financed by the concerned colonising agencies.

[Translation]

Radio Telephone Exchange Facilities in Maharashtra

1587. SHRI GOVINDRAO NIKAM: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether 69 radio telephone exchanges are proposed to be set up in Ratnagiri district of Maharashtra;

(b) if so, the names of the villages where such facility would be provided;

(c) number of villages where this service has been started so far; and

(d) the time by which telephone services would be started at other places?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI P.V. RANGAYYA NAIDU): (a) 5 Number of Radio Sharing Systems (not 69 Radio Telephone Exchanges) are proposed to be set up in Ratnagiri district of Maharashtra.

(b) Telephone facility to 75 Villages Panchayats is planned to be provided from the above Radio Sharing System. The names of the villages are to be decided depending on technical feasibility.

(c) Nil.

(d) Progressively upto March, 1993.

[English]

S.T.D. Facilities in Towns of Maharashtra

1588. SHRI ASHOK ANANDRAO DESHMUKH: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have any proposal to provide STD facility to some towns in Maharashtra during the financial year 1991-92;

(b) if so, the names of the towns selected therefor; and

(c) the towns in other States which are likely to be provided STD facilities in the Year 1991-92?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI P.V. RANGAYYA NAIDU): (a) Yes, Sir.